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NORA DANIELS,
Plaintiff,
vs.
JOHNSON & JOHNSON, ET AL.,
Defendants.

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09:43:15 1 Q How often is that literature compiled?

09:43:18 2 A So, we look at the literature on an ongoing basis
09:43:22 3 as it comes out, but at least once a year we do a sweep of
09:43:25 4 the literature to make sure that we have seen everything
09:43:28 5 that's been published in that -- in that interim.

09:43:31 6 Q Are the products reviewed annually in that way?

09:43:34 7 A Yes, they are.

09:43:35 8 Q And to your knowledge, Johnson's Baby Powder has
09:43:38 9 been reviewed annually in the same manner?

09:43:41 10 A Yes, it has.

09:43:44 11 Q Now, using the baby powder for a moment as an
09:43:47 12 example, if you believe that the product is safe, why do you
09:43:53 13 continue to do these annual reviews?

09:43:55 14 A Well, as science advances, we have new
09:44:00 15 methodologies, new ways to look at things over the years.
09:44:04 16 And the thing about vigilance is, it's an ongoing process.
09:44:09 17 You can never be totally satisfied that you've seen
09:44:12 18 everything and you know everything. So every new piece of
09:44:15 19 information we look at with an open mind, and we discuss it
09:44:19 20 in a group that's a bunch of different people with different
09:44:22 21 expertise so that we make sure, and the one question we ask
09:44:25 22 ourselves is, does this piece of information change our mind
09:44:29 23 about how we think about the safety of this product. That's
09:44:32 24 the one critical question at each safety management team.

09:44:40 25 Q When you undertook your effort to review the

09:44:43 1 safety of literature regarding talc and Johnson's Baby
09:44:46 2 Powder, was that outside the normal process of review that
09:44:51 3 you just described?

09:44:52 4 A The first time I looked at it, it was -- I was new
09:44:55 5 to the job. I had started in May of 2015. I had heard
09:44:59 6 about the litigation around talc and ovarian cancer. I had
09:45:03 7 never heard of it before. I didn't know anything about it,
09:45:07 8 so I took it upon myself to get some of the literature and
09:45:10 9 read about it so I could learn about it myself and start to
09:45:14 10 form my own opinion.

09:45:15 11 Q Before taking your current position, were you
09:45:18 12 familiar with the Johnson's Baby Powder product?

09:45:20 13 A Of course, yeah.

09:45:21 14 Q Why do you say of course?

09:45:22 15 A Well, I have it in my cabinet at home. I think
09:45:26 16 that smell is -- I think I'm going to guess pretty much
09:45:30 17 everybody in this room has used or been exposed to baby
09:45:34 18 powder sometime in their life.

09:45:35 19 Q As part of your review process, did you take steps
09:45:38 20 to just learn the history of the product?

09:45:40 21 A I did.

09:45:42 22 Q What did you learn about when Johnson & Johnson
09:45:45 23 first marketed the baby powder?

09:45:46 24 A Johnson & Johnson had been marketing baby powder
09:45:48 25 since 1894, but what I learned is actually talc had been